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Claims 1-3, 5, 14-32, and 34 are original. Claims 4, 6, and 8-13 are withdrawn. Claims 7, and 35-62 are canceled. Claim 33 was previously presented. New claims 63 and 64 are added. Accordingly, claims 1-3, 5, 14-34, 63, and 64 are pending examination.

**Election of "Invention"**

Applicant elects "Invention 1" without traverse.

**Species Election**

Applicant elects the species of claim 5, canceled claim 7, and has withdraw claims 3-4, 6, and 8-13. However, Applicant has re-written claims 7 as new claims 6 and added new claim 64. Claim 64 depends from claim 63 which depends from the elected claim 5 with each claim narrowing the polysiloxane in the claim from which it depends. As a result, new claims 64 and 63 are not mutually exclusive and are accordingly not directed to different species.

**Information Disclosure Statement**

As is evident in the first paragraph of this application, this application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application serial number 10/663,024 and is also related to U.S. Patent Application serial numbers 10/367,013, and 10/104,352. The Examiners for these applications have found the following publications to be relevant:

US-5,112,512 to Nakamura;

US-2002/0051911 A1 to Okada;

US-5,272,021 to Asai;

EP-1 024 502 to Sony Corporation;

JP-62-209169 to Sumitomo Electric;

JP-2002-063936 to Kanegafuchi Chem Ind. Co Ltd.;

US-5,362,493 to Skotheim et al.;

US-2003/0180624 A1 to Oh et al.;

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**US-5,419,984 to Chaloner-Gill et al.; and**

**US- 6,013,393 to Taniuchi et al.**

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**CONCLUSION**

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone or e-mail the undersigned with any questions.



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